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EDA Think Tank "The Next Ten Years" on 27 October 2016



Following its first event of that kind two years ago the European Demolition Association is inviting its second Think Tank "The Next Ten Years" on October, 27, 2016, in Brussels, Belgium. Whereas the first EDA Think Tank was held in cooperation with Construction Product Europe (CPE) and restricted to EDA and CPE members only, this second event is open to everyone and participation is free of charge.

While the first Think Tank focussed on recycling of construction and demolition waste especially in view of manufacturing new construction products as well as on the possible consideration of end-of-life issues into the design of construction products, the scope of the upcoming Think Tank is broader. As the title implies, EDA's goal is "to look ahead and try to imagine how the future will be like, for demolition operations and for everything related with them." Amongst other questions, EDA is seeking a debate on how technical requirements may impact the related business, what kind of technical equipment is needed, how business models may impact construction and demolition activities and on how to demolish systems and structures consisting of a combination of construction materials. To trigger and foster an open debate there will be two roundtables with a panel of experts who will provide an introduction into the topics.

The EDA Think Tank "The Next Ten Years" no doubt addresses **topics that are of a particular interest to the mortar and ETICS industry**. The secretariat therefore encourages members and manufacturers to also participate in this open Think Tank. For further information and registration, please <u>visit the dedicated EDA website</u>.

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